

County of Santa Rosa

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, reading literacy or proficiency is the key factor above all other factors predicting the future success of students; and

WHEREAS, the person with reading skills has seemingly endless possibilities and potentialities, while the same person without those skills faces a significantly more limited future; and

WHEREAS, according to the American Federation of Teachers, twenty-five percent (25%) of adults in the United States currently lack the basic literacy skills required for a typical job; and

WHEREAS, Chumuckla Elementary School and the Chumuckla Community recognize and appreciate the value and long-term effect of reading literacy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Santa Rosa County Commissioners that May 25, 2005, be observed as

READ ACROSS CHUMUCKLA DAY

and encourages all citizens to become involved in reading to our young people.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, this 11th day of May, 2005.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: _____
Gordon Goodin, Chairman